

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of)
Rene George, et al.) Examiner: Alexander Ghyka
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Dear Sir,

The following remarks are intended as a full and complete response to the outstanding Notice Regarding Drawings dated (mailed) **October 3, 2006**. Substitute formal drawings are also submitted herewith. No new matter has been added

Any additional fees associated with this submission that may be due may be charged to Deposit Account **19-1685** (Order No. **MAT-8**).

If there are any questions with regard to this substitution of drawings, please contact Jay Beyer at (303) 499-3859.